

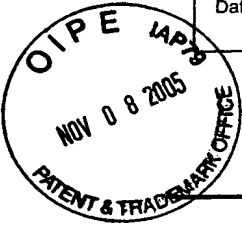
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the application of: David A. Foti *et al.*

Application number: 09/518,287

Filed: March 3, 2000

For: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR ACCESSING
EXTERNALLY-DEFINED OBJECTS FROM
AN ARRAY-BASED MATHEMATICAL
COMPUTING ENVIRONMENT

Art Unit: 2194

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Final Office Action mailed July 8, 2005 (paper no. 20050506), please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.